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SUBJECT: THIRD SESSION OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE TO DRAFT UNIDO

CONSTITUTION: GROUP OF 77 POSITION OF PROGRAM/BUDGET AND

ASSOCIATED ARRANGEMENTS IN THE CONSTITUTION

REF: VIENNA 5600

1. G-77 PROPOSALS ON UNIDO PROGRAM/BUDGET AND ASSOCIATED ARRANGEMENTS AND PROCEDURES WRE SUBMITTED TO NEGOTIATING COMMITTEE MORNING OF JJLY 7. IN VARIOUS IMPORTANT RESPECTS G-77 TEXT IS AT VARIANCE WITH ELEMENTS OF BUDGET PACKAGE THAT HAD SEEMED TO EMERGE FROM PREVIOUS DISCUSSION. WHEHTER G-77 PROPOSALS REPRESENT TACTICAL MOVE DESIGNED TO EXTRACT FURTHER CONCESSIONS FROM GROUP B OR STRONGLY HELD POSITIONS IS NOT YET CLEAR. TO A CONSIDERABLE EXTENT G-77 PROPOSALS REFLECT VIEWS OF G-77 DELS FROM OUTSIDE VIENNA WHICH HAD NO REPRESENTATION IN PRE-SESSIONAL MEETINGS.

2. FOLLOWING IS G-77 TEXT:

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A. PROGRAMME AND BUDGET

1. THE ACTIVITIES OF THE ORGANIZATION SHALL BE CARRIED OUT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROGRAMME APPROVED BY THE CONFERENCE.

2. THE BUDGET OF THE ORGANIZATION SHALL BE CLASSIFIED UNDER THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES OF EXPENDITURES:

(A) EXPENDITURES TO BE MET FROM ASSESSED CONTRIBUTIONS; AND

(B) EXPENDITURES TO BE MET FROM VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS AND OTHER INCOME AND RESOURCES.

3. THE EXPENDITURES FROM VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS AND OTHER INCOME AND RESOURCES SHALL CONSIST OF MAINLY THOSE INCURRED FOR DIRECT ASSISTANCE TO A PARTICULAR MEMBER OR GROUP OF MEMBERS AND SUCH OTHER ACTIVITIES AS MAY BE AGREED UPON.

4. THE EXPENDITURES FROM ASSESSED CONTRIBUTIONS SHALL CONSIST OF ALL THOSE ITEMS THAT ARE NOT INCLUDED IN PARAGRAPH 3 ABOVE, SUCH AS ADMINISTRATIVE, RESEARCH AND SUPPORT COSTS RELATED TO DELIVERY OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE, AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE ACTIVITIES SUBJECT TO AN APPROVED CEILING.

5. ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES SHALL BE SUBSTANTIALLY LESS THAN THE OTHER EXPENDITURES FINANCED FROM ASSESSED CONTRIBUTIONS.

B. ORGANS

1. THE PRINCIPAL ORGANS OF THE ORGANIZATION SHALL BE:

(A) THE CONFERENCE;

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(B) THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT BOARD (CALLED THE "BOARD");

(C) THE SECRETARIAT.

2. SUBSIDIARY ORGANS

TO ASSIST THE BOARD IN THE EXAMINATION OF THE PROGRAMME AND BUDGET OF UNIDO AND OTHER FINANCIAL MATTERS

PERTAINING TO UNIDO, A PROGRAMME AND BUDGET COMMITTEE SHALL BE ESTABLISHED. OTHER TECHNICAL COMMITTEES MAY ALSO BE ESTABLISHED BY THE BOARD IF IT CONSIDERS THIS NECESSARY.

3. THE CONFERENCE BY ITS OWN DECISION, OR AT THE REQUEST OF THE BOARD, MAY ESTABLISH OTHER ORGANS AS NECESSARY.

C. ADOPTION AND APPROVAL OF THE PROGRAMME AND BUDGET

1. AT ITS REGULAR SESSION, THE PROGRAMME AND BUDGET COMMITTEE SHALL PREPARE A DRAFT ANNUAL PROGRAMME OF WORK AND THE CORRESPONDING BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL PERIOD FOLLOWING THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE CONFERENCE. (A TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY OF THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING SHALL BE REQUIRED FOR MAKING RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE PROGRAMME AND BUDGET.) FOR THATT PURPOSE THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL SHALL SUBMIT TO THE COMMITTEE THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT ANNUAL PROGRAMME AND BUDGET.

2. AT ITS REGULAR SESSION, THE BOARD SHALL EXAMINE THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE PROGRAMME AND BUDGET COMMITTEE AND DETERMINE THE PROGRAMME OF WORK AND THE CORRESPONDING BUDGET FOR SUBMISSION TO THE CONFERENCE FOR ITS APPROVAL. (A TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY OF THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING SHALL BE REQUIRED FOR ITS DECISION.)

3. THE CONFERENCE SHALL APPROVE BY A TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY OF THOSE PRESENT AND VOTING WITH SUCH CHANGES AS IT DEEMS NECESSARY THE PROGRAMME OF WORK AND CORRESPONDING BUDGET SUBMITTED TO IT BY THE BOARD.
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3. AT JULY 7 MORNING MEETING OF NEGOTIATING COMMITTEE GROUP B CHAIRMAN CHARACTERIZED G-77 PROPOSALS AS BACKWARD STEP FROM POSITION THAT SEEMINGLY HAD BEEN REACHED IN PREVIOUS DISCUSSIONS. HOWEVER, GENERAL ROUND OF STATEMENTS FOLLOWED TO THE EFFECT THAT NEGOTIATING EFFORTS MUST CONTINUE.

4. GROUP B MEETS AFTERNOON JULY 7 TO CONSIDER G-77 TEXTS IN DETAIL AND PLAN NEXT GROUP B MOVE. STIBRAVY

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